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## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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### Inspection Report

### Minerals Regulatory Program

### June 14, 2012

Reviewed: PPAS

<b>Mine Name:</b> County Canyon Shale	<b>Permit Number:</b> M/023/0024
<b>Operator Name:</b> Ash Grove Cement Company	<b>Inspection Date:</b> June 13, 2012
<b>Inspector(s):</b> Wayne Western	<b>Time:</b> 11:00 – 11:15 AM
<b>Other Participants:</b> Josh Nelson and Gordon Jerrett	<b>Mine Status:</b> Active
<b>Weather Condition:</b> Clear skies and 80's	<b>Last Inspection:</b> July 11, 2011
<b>Bond Renewal Date:</b> July 19, 2012	<b>Bond Amount:</b> \$144,500
<b>Surface Ownership:</b> BLM	<b>Mineral Ownership:</b> Fee
<b>Last Year of Production:</b> 10,865 tons in 2011	<b>Acreage:</b> 30 acres

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer,	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Bond/Bond Release	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Annual Fees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Annual Report	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Re-vegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Purpose of Inspection:

This was a routine inspection.

### Inspection Summary:

The bond is due for escalation on July 19, 2012. The Division and the Permittee agreed to escalate the bond. The Permittee will provide updated reclamation costs.

The NOI consists of the original submittal and some amendments. The amendments were never incorporated into the NOI. The Division and the Permittee agreed to have a meeting the at the Division's headquarters to determine was belongs in the NOI.

The annual permit fees and reports are up to date.

The site is stable. Limited production occurred last year. The Permittee is looking to expand the disturbed area and increase production.

**Conclusions and Recommendations:**

The Division and the Permittee should work together to update the NOI.

The bond should be escalated.

**Directions to Site:**

The site sits west of Nephi on Route 132 route (1812) east of the town of Leamington. Turn off is approximately 4.3 mile west of turn off onto 1812. Follow well kept road.

**Inspector's Signature**



WHW:

cc: (OPERATOR)

Jerry Mansfield, BLM

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Quarry road and operation.



Stockpiled material